

Greatest Winter Wind-up Sale

A "Choice of the House" Sale of Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Suits, Makinaws, Sheep-Lined Coats, Separate Pants. In fact, every winter garment in our stock without a single exception, at prices so low that it will positively pay you to buy, even though you must lay the clothing aside for next season's wear. Woolens are sure of soaring in price this year, so *here is your chance to buy at a saving of from 20 to 25 per cent.* Everything spot cash. Money talks.

Men's Overcoats & Suits

\$15.00 VALUE SUITS	\$13.50
\$17.00 VALUE SUITS	\$15.00
\$20.00 VALUE SUITS	\$17.00
\$22.50 VALUE SUITS	\$20.00
\$25.00 VALUE SUITS	\$22.00
\$27.50 VALUE SUITS	\$24.00
\$30.00 VALUE SUITS	\$26.00
\$32.50 VALUE SUITS	\$28.00
\$12.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 9.00
\$15.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$11.50
\$16.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$12.50
\$18.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$13.50
\$20.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$15.00
\$22.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$16.50
\$25.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$17.25
\$27.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$21.00
\$30.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$22.50
\$35.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$25.00
\$37.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$27.50

Boys' Overcoats & Suits

\$ 4.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 3.25
\$ 5.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 4.00
\$ 5.50 VALUE SUITS	\$ 4.50
\$ 6.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 4.75
\$ 6.50 VALUE SUITS	\$ 5.00
\$ 7.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 5.50
\$ 7.50 VALUE SUITS	\$ 6.00
\$ 8.50 VALUE SUITS	\$ 7.00
\$ 9.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 7.50
\$10.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 8.00
\$12.00 VALUE SUITS	\$ 9.00
\$ 5.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 3.75
\$ 5.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 4.00
\$ 6.75 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 5.00
\$ 7.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 5.75
\$ 8.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 6.00
\$ 9.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 7.00
\$10.00 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 7.50
\$12.50 VALUE OVERCOATS	\$ 9.25

Hats and Caps

\$ 5.00 VALUE HATS	\$ 4.00
\$ 4.00 VALUE HATS	\$ 3.50
\$ 3.50 VALUE HATS	\$ 3.00
\$ 2.50 VALUE HATS	\$ 2.00
\$15.00 VALUE FUR CAPS	\$12.50
\$ 8.00 VALUE FUR CAPS	\$ 6.00
\$ 6.00 VALUE FUR CAPS	\$ 4.50
\$ 5.00 VALUE FUR CAPS	\$ 4.00
\$ 1.50 VALUE CAPS	\$ 1.25
\$ 1.25 VALUE CAPS	\$ 1.00
\$ 1.00 VALUE CAPS	\$.90

Sweater Coats

\$10.00 VALUES	\$ 8.50
\$ 7.50 VALUES	\$ 6.50
\$ 6.00 VALUES	\$ 5.00
\$ 5.75 VALUES	\$ 4.75
\$ 4.00 VALUES	\$ 3.50
\$ 3.50 VALUES	\$ 3.00
\$ 3.00 VALUES	\$ 2.50
\$ 3.00 VALUE JERSEYS	\$ 2.50
\$ 2.75 VALUE JERSEYS	\$ 2.25
\$ 2.50 VALUE JERSEYS	\$ 2.00
\$ 2.00 VALUE BOYS' JERSEYS	\$ 1.50

Mackinaws

\$11.00 VALUES	\$ 9.50
\$ 9.50 VALUES	\$ 8.50
\$ 8.50 VALUES	\$ 7.00
\$ 8.00 VALUES	\$ 6.50
\$ 7.50 VALUES	\$ 6.00
\$ 4.75 VALUE BEACH COATS	\$ 4.00
\$ 4.00 VALUE BEACH COATS	\$ 3.50
\$ 2.50 VALUE BEACH VESTS	\$ 2.00

Boys' Mackinaws

\$ 5.00 VALUES	\$ 4.00
\$ 5.50 VALUES	\$ 4.50
\$ 6.00 VALUES	\$ 5.00
\$ 6.50 VALUES	\$ 5.50
\$ 7.00 VALUES	\$ 6.00
\$ 7.50 VALUES	\$ 6.50
\$ 8.00 VALUES	\$ 7.00
\$ 8.50 VALUES	\$ 7.25

SHIRTS

\$6.00 VALUE SILK	\$4.50
\$5.00 VALUE SILK	\$4.00
\$3.50 VALUE SILK	\$3.00
\$2.00 VALUES	\$1.69
\$1.50 VALUES	\$1.29
\$1.00 VALUES	\$.89

UNDERWEAR

\$5.00 UNION SUITS	\$4.00
\$4.00 UNION SUITS	\$3.50
\$3.50 UNION SUITS	\$3.00
\$2.00 UNION SUITS	\$1.50
\$1.50 VALUE DRAWERS	\$1.25
\$1.50 VALUE SHIRTS	\$1.25
\$.85 VAL. DRWS or SHIRTS	\$.79

NECKWEAR

\$2.00 VALUES	\$1.50
\$1.50 VALUES	\$1.25
\$1.00 VALUES	\$.89
\$.75 VALUES	\$.69
\$.65 VALUES	\$.59
\$.50 VALUES	\$.45
\$.35 VALUES	\$.29

BATH ROBES

25% OFF ON ALL BATH ROBES

AND

SMOKING JACKETS

MUFFLERS

ALL MUFFLERS

25% OFF

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GOODES, The Clothier

THE HOME OF GOOD CLOTHES - ALMA, MICHIGAN

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Classified Ads

Minimum charge of 15c, or five cents a line, counting five words to the line. Positively no ads will be taken for this column without cash in advance. As items are too small to take the trouble to enter charge accounts.

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE PROPERTY

FOR SALE—Ten acres, well tilled, good house and barn, three-quarters mile from city. Inquire at Record. 25-2-p

FOR SALE—7-room bungalow, new, modern in every respect, extra good location, 1 block off Superior St. Very exceptional value if sold at once. Call Union 361. 26-1-p

FOR SALE—Large 7-room house and barn, good size lot, plenty choice fruit trees; terms reasonable. \$4 rooms of same house for rent at \$1 per week until sold. Inquire 618 River ave. 26-3-p

FOR SALE—20 acres of land, good house, good soil, well located. For sale cheap. Inquire S. Birmingham, Alma. 26-3-p

TO RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room for gentleman. 109 W. Downey 1-p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 208 Orchard, Union phone 316-3r. 26-1-p

FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping or sleeping rooms 215 Woodworth avenue. 26-1-p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 416 Maple avenue. 26-1-p

FOR RENT—Six room house partly furnished, located on St. Louis road. Call Bell phone 234. 26-1-p

WANTED—TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—80 acres or more of good land with plenty of stock, tools, good buildings and orchard. John Morrison, Midland, Mich., R. R. 5. 26-3-p

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Collie dog, Saturday, Jan. 5. Line 2 25 E, Forest Hill. 26-1-p

LOST—Sunday, lady's black leather purse containing \$1.65. Finder leave at Record office and receive reward. 26-1-p

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—A quantity of shock corn; very good cow feed. Inquire Bartley's Market. 16-1-p

FOR SALE—Beef in quarters, price 12 and 14 cents per pound; pork in the half 21c, in the hog 20c; delivered. Also choice cattle wanted. Address Jacob Snyder, St. Louis, Mich., R. R. 3. 24-3-p

FOR SALE—I will have several young calves for sale soon. Good stock. B. F. Cline, Alma, Mich., Bell phone. 25-1-2-p

FOR EXCHANGE—My equity in sixty acre farm including stock and tools, for residence in St. Louis or Alma. Good land, fair buildings and good location. Please inquire E. Hanna, Welfare Dept., Republic Motor Truck Co., Inc., or address box 75, St. Louis, Mich. 25-3-c

FOR SALE—Maple Row Johanna Prince, the Holstein sire, 161632 H. F. H. B. is for sale. Full record given interested parties. Lock box 41, Alma, Michigan. 26-1-p

FOR SALE—New Overland Country Club car, run less than 100 miles. Part cash, balance easy terms. Also two Jersey cows due this month. Reason for selling, owner leaving town. Call Bell phone 91, St. Louis or W. V. Hess, box 41, St. Louis, Mich. 26-1-p

FOR SALE—Ten-foot touring show case for \$20 and Ford burling car for \$150. Inquire J. D. Pierce, Bell phone 349-4r. 26-1-p

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTE—After Jan. 1, 1918, all plumbing and tinning must be cash. By order of Alma Plumbers and Tiners. 21-6-c

FOR SALE—Wood. Call Bell phone 290-F31, Union phone 91-31-35. 20-1-c

NOTICE—Mary Anderson, my wife, has left her home near Elwell, Michigan, without cause and I will not be responsible for any bills contracted by her after this date. Dated Jan. 10, 1918. Nelson Anderson. 26-3-c

WANTED—Fancy washing and ironing. Inquire 1501 Eastward St. 26-1-p

NOTICE OF DRAIN LETTING AND REVIEW

Notice is hereby given, that I, Erva R. Laycock, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Gratiot, State of Michigan, will, on the 15th day of January A. D. 1918, at the residence of Rudolph Waber on the West side of N. W. 1/4 of section 8, Township of Arcadia, Gratiot County, Michigan, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain drain known and designated as Number 389 Drain, located in the Township of Arcadia, in said County of Gratiot, and described as follows, to-wit:

Minutes of survey of center line and specifications for locating and establishing a tiled drain in the Township of Arcadia, Gratiot County, Michigan.

Commencing in the channel of Pine River at a point 11.91 chs. South and 5.28 chs. East of Quarter post on North side of Section 8, Arcadia Township.

Thence S 77 1/2° W 3.67 chs. Thence N 84° W 6.50 chs. Thence N 45° W 2.24 chs. to a point where Branch Drain No. 1 commences. Thence S 261° W 6.50 chs. Thence S 78° W 9.81 chs. Thence N 71° W 6.42 chs. and cross West 1/4 line of Section 8, at Station 15 plus 36 a distance 19.31 chs. South of West 1/4 post.

Thence on same course 0.19 chs. Thence N 86 1/2° W 9.45 chs. Thence N 88° W 10.85 chs. and cross line between Sections 7 and 8 Arcadia Twp. at Station 25 plus 65 a distance 1.19 chs. North of North 1/4 post.

Thence S 72° W 2.31 chs. and cross North 1/4 line of Sections 7 Arcadia Twp. at Station 25 plus 186, at a point 3.14 chs. West of North 1/4 post.

Thence S 62° W 4.74 chs. Thence N 81 1/2° W 1.40 chs. Thence N 76° W 11.75 chs. and cross East 1/4 line of Section 7 Arcadia Twp. at Station 25 plus 115 at center of N E 1/4 of Section.

Thence N 63 1/2° W 13.58 chs. Thence N 81 1/2° E 4.57 chs. Thence N 72° E 4.77 chs. Thence N 35° S 3.17. Thence N 73 1/2° W 6.36 chs. Thence N 74 1/2° W 6.11 chs. and cross Quarter Line of Section 7 at Station 52 plus 21 at a point 2.74 chs. South of Quarter post between Sec. 6 and 7 Arcadia Twp.

Thence N 74 1/2° W 11.01 chs. Thence N 19 1/2° E 6.21 chs. and cross Section line between Sections 6 and 7 Arcadia Twp. at Station 57 plus 163 at a point 9.24 chs. East of West 1/4 post.

Thence on same course 0.87 chs. Thence N 65° W 8.89 chs. and cross West 1/4 line of Section 6 Arcadia Twp. at Station 62 plus 235 East and same course 0.69 chs. to a point on South side of Section 6.

Thence S 88 1/2° W 6.94 chs. Thence S 44 1/2° E 4.59 chs. and cross Section line between Sections 5 and 6 Arcadia Twp. at Station 62 plus 235 East and same course 0.69 chs. to a point on South side of Section 6.

Thence S 38 1/2° W 6.88 chs. Thence S 50° W 2.05 chs. Thence S 101° W 12.35 chs. and end at Station 81 plus 99 a distance 2.00 chs. East and 20.43 chs. South of West 1/4 corner of Section 7 Arcadia Twp.

Branch Drain No. 1.

Commencing in the Main Drain at Station 6 plus 114. Thence N 42 1/2° W 2.00 chs. Thence N 68° W 2.50 chs. Thence N 88° W 8.30 chs. and cross West 1/4 line of Section 8 Arcadia Twp. at Station 6 plus 143 a distance 5.31 chs. South of Section line on North side of Section 8.

Thence on same course 3.08 chs. Thence N 25° W 9.14 chs. and cross Section line at Station 13 plus 165 a distance 15 chs. West of West 1/4 post on North side of Section 8 Arcadia Twp.

Thence S 15 1/2° W 13.17 chs. Thence N 53° W 7.94 chs. and cross South 1/4 line of Section 5 at Station 23 plus 16 a distance 8.12 chs. East of West side of Section.

Thence on same course 0.69 chs. Thence N 11° E 9.77 chs. Thence N 24° E 8.00 chs. Thence N 20 1/2° W 8.60 chs. and end at Station 38 plus 99 at the North side of S 1/4 of N W 1/4 of Section 5 Arcadia Twp. and 4.87 chs. East of West side of Section.

Branch Drain No. 2.

Commencing in the channel of Main Drain at Station 15 at a point 0.38 chs. East and 19.43 chs. South of North 1/4 post on North side of Section 8 Arcadia Twp.

Thence S 47 1/2° W 0.51 chs. and cross West 1/4 line at Station 0 plus 51 a distance 18.77 chs. South of West 1/4 post on North side of Section 8 Arcadia Twp.

Thence on same course 11.40 chs. Thence S 43° W 1.42 chs. Thence S 48° W 7.48 chs. Thence S 71° W 3.86 chs. and cross Section line between Sections 7 and 8 Arcadia Twp. at Station 17 plus 166 a distance 2.53 chs. North of Quarter post.

Thence on same course 7.06 chs. and cross Quarter line of Section 7 at Station 17 plus 166 a distance 2.53 chs. North of Quarter post.

Thence on same course 0.29 chs. Thence N 50° W 4.81 chs. and cross East 1/4 line of Section 7 Arcadia Twp. at Station 24 plus 81 a distance 2.47 chs. South of Quarter Line.

Thence on same course 2.20 chs. Thence N 44° W 3.51 chs. and cross Quarter Line of Section 7 Arcadia Twp. at Station 27 plus 68 a distance 4.79 chs. West of East 1/4 line.

Thence N 46° W 5.85 chs. Thence N 40 1/2° W 7.53 chs. and end at Station 34 plus 69 a distance 9.40 chs. North and 5.94 chs. East of center of Section 7.

Branch to Branch Drain No. 1.

Commencing in channel of Branch Drain No. 1 at Station 23 plus 60 a point 0.16 chs. South and 8.15 chs. East of South 1/4 post on West side of Section 7 Arcadia Twp.

Thence N 58° W 0.16 chs. and cross South 1/4 line Section 7 Arcadia Twp.

Thence S 42° W 1.52 chs. Thence N 87° W 5.69 chs. Thence S 40° W 0.45 chs. and cross line between Sections 5 and 6 Arcadia Twp. at a point 0.76 chs. North of South 1/4 line.

Thence on same course 0.97 chs. and cross South 1/4 line at Station 4 plus 163 a distance 0.62 chs. West of South 1/4 post on East side of Section 6 Arcadia Twp.

Thence on same course 14.39 chs. Thence S 11 1/2° W 8.30 chs. and end at Station 16 plus 30 a distance 0.25 chs. North and 9.55 chs. East of Quarter post on North side of Section 6 Arcadia Twp.

Length of Main Drain 648 rods.

Length of Branch Drain No. 1 238 rods.

Length of Branch Drain No. 2 128 rods.

Length of Main Drain and Branches 1257.2 rods.

Length of drain on each description of land is as follows:

S 1/2 of N W 1/4 and all of W 1/2 of N E 1/4 of Pine River, Section 8, Rudolph Waber, W 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 8, Rudolph Waber,

29.19 chains.

N E 1/4 of N E 1/4, Section 7, Ely Wolf and wife, 3.31 chains.

S E 1/4 of N E 1/4, Section 7, Geo. Irish, 12.29 chains.

N W 1/4 of N E 1/4, Section 7, Harlan Woodard, 32.86 chains.

E 40 S. of N 60 S. of E 100 S. of N W 1/4, Section 7, Ralph Mitchell, 11.32 chains.

S E 1/4 of S W 1/4, Section 6, Joel Allis, 10.26 chains.

W 1/2 of S W 1/4, Section 5, Chas. E. Burns, 12.65 chains.

W 1/2 of S W 1/4, Section 7, Wm. Becker, 24.06 chains.

Branch Drain No. 1.

E 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 8, Ansley Sudorff, 12.43 chains.

W 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 8, Rudolph Waber, 12.21 chains.

S 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 5, F. E. Polasky, 20.51 chains.

N W 1/4 of S W 1/4, and S 10 S. of W 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 6, Hector Smith, 25.86 chains.

Branch Drain No. 2.

E 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 8, Ansley Sudorff, 0.51 chains.

W 1/2 of N W 1/4, Section 8, Rudolph Waber, 27.15 chains.

S 1/2 of N E 1/4, Section 7, Geo. Irish, 7.05 chains.

W 1/2 of S E 1/4, Section 7, John Fink, 14.10 chains.

E 1/2 of S E 1/4, Section 7, Curtis Snedcor, 6.81 chains.

S 1/2 of N E 1/4, Section 7, Ralph Mitchell, 13.38 chains.

Branch to Branch Drain No. 1.

N W 1/4 of S W 1/4, Section 5, Hector Smith, 8.48 chains.

N 1/2 of S E 1/4, section 6, Louis T. Muba, 0.63 chains.

E 1/2 of S E 1/4, section 6, Hattie M. Parsons, 22.60 chains.

S 1/2 of S W 1/4, Section 6, F. E. Polasky, 0.16 chains.

Drain surveyed Aug. 10, 11, 12 and 14, 1917, under direction of Erva R. Laycock, County Drain Commissioner, J. W. and T. H. Harrod, Surveyors.

Specifications.

(1) Station stakes and grade hubs are set eight (8) rods apart and are numbered consecutively from zero at outlet to upper end.

(2) Station stakes on Main Drain are set 12 ft. to left of center line from Station 0 at outlet to Station 5.

(3) Station stakes on Branch Drain No. 1 are set 6 ft. to left of center line from Station 0 at outlet to Station 5.

(4) Station stakes on Branch Drain No. 2 are set 6 ft. to left of center line from Station 0 at outlet to Station 5.

(5) A strip of land two rods wide each side of center line of drain will be required for a right-of-way to be used in construction of drain except for the lower 42.4 rods, which will require a right-of-way 4 rods wide each side of center line of drain.

(6) Right-of-way to be cleared of timber. All brush to be pulled and piled on right-of-way away from drain.

(7) The drain will consist of an open ditch from Station 0 of center line of drain to Station 4 plus 163, and of bottom width 4 feet, and balance of drain will be tiled, both Main Drain and Branches, with vitrified drain tile of the following size and quantities.

Main Drain.

Station 5 plus 60 to Sta. 6 plus 144, or 1126 rods, 18" tile.

Station 6 plus 41 to Sta. 15 plus 60, or 68.24 rods, 18" tile.

Station 15 plus 60 to Sta. 30 plus 60, or 120.0 rods, 18" tile.

Station 30 plus 60 to Sta. 38 plus 99, or 64.9 rods, 18" tile.

Station 38 plus 99 to Sta. 58 plus 99, or 160.0 rods, 12" tile.

Station 58 plus 99 to Sta. 70 plus 99, or 88.0 rods, 8" tile.

Branch Drain No. 1.

Station 0 to Station 13 plus 09, or 104 rods, 12" tile.

Station 13 plus 09 to Sta.